First News

July 3, 2024





Passport Youth Camp June 30-July 5, 2024

A group of 19 teenagers and 3 adult chaperones arrived at church early Sunday morning to head to Passport Youth Camp at Converse College in Spartanburg, SC. They got there safely and are enjoying their time together as they participate in worship, missions, games, devotions, and fun! Please continue to pray for their relationship with Christ to grow, friendships to be formed and deepened, and safe travels when they return on Friday.



The Hispanic Congregation is putting together a Soccer Training and Formation Program as an opportunity for boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 14 to learn some skills in the sport of soccer. The program is absolutely FREE and it will be held on July 15-19 from 6pm to 8pm on the First Baptist Church field. This program will culminate on July 20 with a Tournament among the participants that will take place from 9am to 1:30pm. Register your children and grandchildren, and let other people know, so they can participate. We are also looking for volunteers to help with snacks and water stations, and to welcome and engage with parents. If you are interested to volunteer, please communicate with Pastor Juan Garcia at jgarcia@fbcnn.org.

Looking for a Way to Help?

The Hispanic Congregation is asking for your help. As part of the Soccer Training Camp we are putting together for mid July, we would like to provide snacks for the kids. We are asking your help by donating cases of Gatorade. We need around 350 bottles or more for the whole week. Would you consider donating a case or two? The cases can be dropped off at the church office between 8:30am and 4:30pm Monday through Thursday, or in the foyer on Sunday. I will appreciate you partnering with us in this capacity. Should you have any questions, please contact Pastor Juan at igarcia@fbcnn.org. Thank you!



July Mission Opportunity

The Compassionate Mission Partnership (CMP) Team is collecting supplies needed to support Lackey Free Clinic. Please help by providing hygiene and dental products, and over the counter (OTC) medications from their wish list below:

OTC: Vitamins D and C, Advil

<u>Personal Hygiene</u>: deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, soap, body wash

<u>Dental</u>: toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss

You can drop off these items on Sunday mornings in the sanctuary foyer or preschool foyer. During the week, you can drop off at the church office between 8:30am and 4:30pm Monday through Thursday. Should you have any questions, contact Rhonda Wiatt via email, Rhonda.Wiatt@aol.com. The final day for collection is July 31. Thank you for your generous support.

CMP Team: Rhonda Wiatt, Karon Garcia, Grete Johnson

Upcoming Events

<u>June 30 - July 5</u> - Passport Youth Camp

July 4 - Office Closed

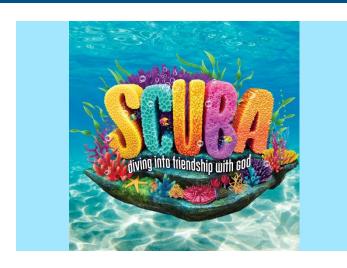
<u>July 15 - 19</u> - Soccer Training and Formation Camp (see article above for more details)



Performing Arts Studio

Registration has begun for the Fall Term of our Performing Arts Studio. We are excited to accept students in Middle through High School and adults. For more information and to sign up please follow the link to the form, here.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Lesley Spitzer (lspitzer@fbcnn.org) or John Irving (jirving@fbcnn.org).



Mark Your Calendars! Vacation Bible School July 29-August 2

If you are interested in volunteering for VBS this year, you can sign up by clicking on the <u>link for the volunteer form</u>. Thanks to everyone who donated caps and now we are "capped out"! We still have other items needed to make our VBS program a success this summer! We would love if you could help us alleviate the cost by purchasing something off of our <u>Amazon Wishlist here</u>. We plan to update it periodically as necessary. In addition, we need plastic bowls between 8 and 10 inches in diameter. Thank you for your support! If you have any questions feel free to reach out to Sharon Hertzler (<u>shertzler@fbcnn.org</u>) or Rebecca Hinson (rhinson@fbcnn.org)



Digital Ministry Team Needs You!

Our tech team provides outreach to our community and to our homebound members through broadcasting each service. This team also enhances our in-person worship by running our sound and projection systems. For this worthy ministry to continue, we need your help. We will train you, no experience required! For more information, contact Lesley Spitzer, |spitzer@fbcnn.org.



Weekly Worship Opportunities

Join us for worship in person or online Sunday, July 7 at 8:30am & 11am! Randy Shepley will be leading us in worship.

The Sunday worship services are streamed directly to our website and can be accessed by clicking on Upcoming Live Stream tab located on the home page. If you miss a service, you can click on Sermon Library in the Resources tab to select the service you missed. (Services are listed in chronological order with the most recent on top.)

The following is a list of weekly events. Learn more about children's events on Facebook and youth events on their Instagram page-@fbcnnyouth.

Sundays

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship
9:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study
9:45 a.m. Children's Bible Study
9:45 a.m. Infant-Preschool Bible Study
9:45 a.m. Youth Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
11:00 a.m. Extended Session - infants
through age 4
11:00 a.m. Hispanic Bible Study
12:30 p.m. Hispanic Worship

Mondays

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7:00 p.m. Young Single Adults

Wednesdays

6:30 p.m. Hispanic Prayer and Bible Study

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Click on the link below to watch the service from 8:30am and 11am this past Sunday.

June 30

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